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Subject: Re: Vermont Ave Project - Picture of Plant Species
Date: Wednesday, August 17, 2016 3:17:34 PM

Hello Jeff,

Thank you very much for bring this detail to my attention. I was not aware that the Olive Fruitless tree has been a concern for your community. I will review this concern with our Landscape Architect colleagues with our Bureau of Street Services. Let me address this matter know to see how we can make the necessary modification on our project. I looked at the design plans and they are showing to have two Olive Fruitless tress planted per each median island, except for the median island near La Mirada Ave only has one Olive Fruitless tress to be planted. Does the EHBID have a replacement tree for the Olive Fruitless tree that has been found to be suitable for your community needs? If so, I would like to share this information with our Landscape Architect colleagues to assist them in their search for a replacement tree. I will keep you posted on the details of this matter, please do not hesitate to reach out to me if you have any other questions.

Once again thank you and have a great day.

On Tue, Aug 16, 2016 at 7:54 PM, Jeff Zarrinam <Jeff@hollywoodhotel.net> wrote:

Hello Carlos & Carlos

Thanks for the list of plant species and trees.

I scanned the list and noticed the trees specified were fruitless olive trees, the same trees which the EHBID removed from the entire EHBID area due to it being a problematic tree to maintain. The last 7 olive trees on Vermont between Hollywood and Sunset will be removed shortly.

I believe this is the first time I've seen the landscape plan.

Does the EHBID board still have the time to review the landscape species list and make change recommendations without delaying the median construction?

Vaya con Dios,

Jeff Zarrinam, C.H.A.

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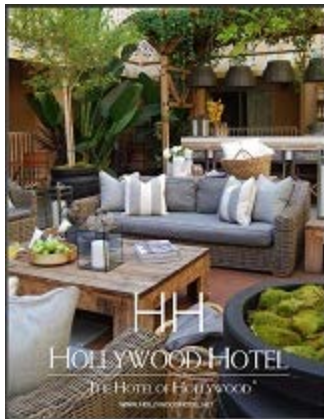
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Hello Jeff,




It was nice seeing you at the meeting this afternoon. Per our conversation, I have attached a copy of the contractors submittal for approval on the plant species, which has some picture for your reference. I hope this information will helpful. Please let me know if you have any additional questions or concerns.



Thanks and have a great day.








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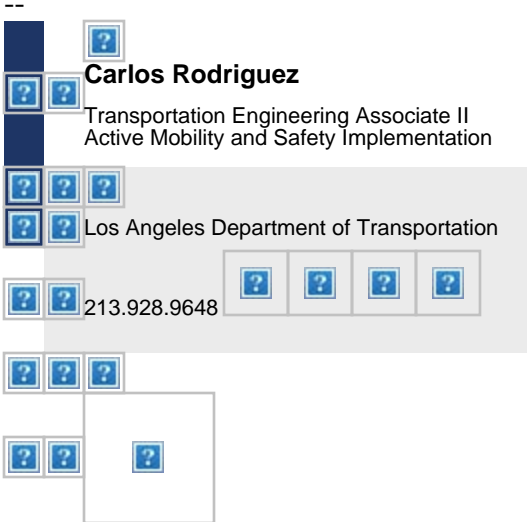
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